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☑ The allowed claim(s) is/are <u>252 and 265-279</u> .		
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

2. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Jean M. Silveri on December 23, 2004.

3. In the Specification:

At page 1, paragraph beginning at line 3 has been replaced -- This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/503,387, filed February 14, 2000 now abandon, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/454,824, filed December 6, 1999 now abandon, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/345.468, filed June 30, 1999 now US Pat 6,245,527, the entire contents of each of which is incorporated herein by reference its entirety. --

4. In the claims:

- 1. Claim 272, lines 1-2, "of claim 265, wherein the antibody" has been deleted.
- 2. Claim 272, line 1, -- wherein the antibody or antigen binding portion thereof of claim 265 -- has been inserted immediately after "thereof".
- 3. Claim 274, lines 1-2, "of claim 265, wherein the antibody" has been deleted.
- 4. Claim 274, line 1, -- wherein the antibody or antigen binding portion thereof of claim 265 -- has been inserted immediately after "thereof".
- 5. Claim 276, line 2, "or 274" has been deleted.
- 6. Claim 277, line 2, "any one of claims 265 or 272" has been replaced with -- claim 265 --
- 7. Claim 278 (new) A kit comprising the conjugated antibody or antigen binding portion thereof of claim 274 and instructions for use.

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- 8. Claim 279 (new) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the conjugated antibody or antigen binding portion thereof according to claim 272 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 5. Claims 252 and 265-279 are pending and are allowed.
- 6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Phuong Huynh "NEON" whose telephone number is (571) 272-0846. The examiner can normally be reached Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 5:30 p.m. A message may be left on the examiner's voice mail service. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Christina Chan can be reached on (571) 272-0841. The IFW official Fax number is (571) 273-8300.
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